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Serial No.: 09/832,631

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Group Art Unit: 2877

For: ENCODED VARIABLE FILTER SPECTROMETER

Docket No.: 1023.1123101

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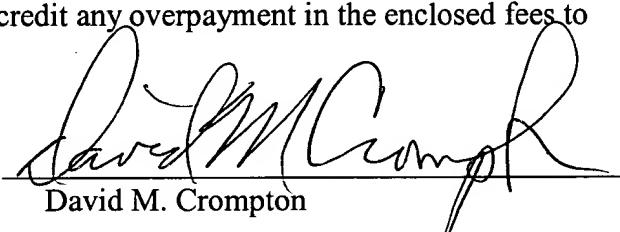
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[] Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by verified statement previously submitted.

[XX] Other: RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS, RESPONSE COPY OF NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NON-PROVISIONAL APPLICATION, EXECUTED DECLARATION/POWER OF ATTORNEY, LETTER TO OFFICIAL DRAFTSMAN, AND 13 SHEETS OF FORMAL DRAWINGS.

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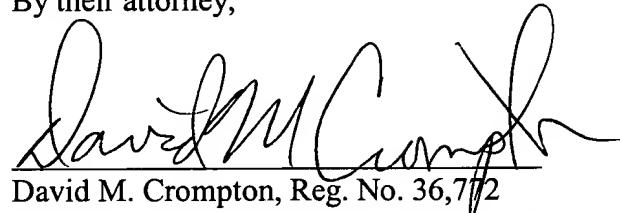
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Any inquiry regarding the above-referenced matter may be directed to the undersigned representative.

Respectfully submitted,

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By their attorney,



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An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
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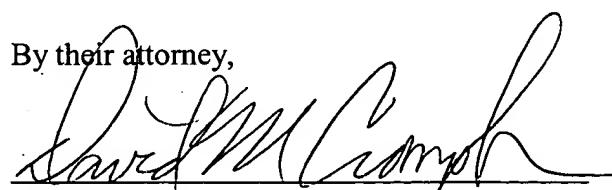
Dear Sir:

Please find attached hereto thirteen (13) sheets of formal drawings for filing in the above-identified application.

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